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MEMORANDUM FOR: Comptroller

SUBJECT : Simplified Allotment Accounting for WHD

REFERENCE: Memorandum dated 27 June 1957 to you from

Chief, WH Support, Same Subject.

1. We concur in the proposal contained in reference subject to the following:

a. That paragraph II Funding Programs be revised to read as follows (additions underscored - deletions lined out):

## "II. FUNDING PROGRAMS

Funding Programs will follow the Mission concept used in the Operational Program. For each country, funds will be programmed for Mission I (Field Station Support); Mission II (FI/CI Activities); Mission III (cold war and having an ad PP Activities), Mission II and Mission III programs will show separate amounts for (1) each large subsidy project. each proprietary project; and (3) each individual project in excess of \$100,000; and (4) all other. Headquarters, funds will be programmed for Support Unvouchered; Support Vouchered; and Area-wide Missions II and III, as applicable, with the latter broken down as stated above. This-arrangement-will-mean-fewer,-but-larger accounts-than-heretofore---This-simplification-should

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result-in-a-mere-efficient-use-ef-the-Division-s-funds
with-less-paper-adjustments-"

b. That paragraph III Allotments be revised to read as follows (additions underscored - deletions lined out):

"III.

ALLOTMENTS

Requests for allotments from the Budget Division and Field Allotment Advices will conform to the pattern proposed for Funding Programs. Each request for an allotment for Missions II and III, excluding targe subsidy projects, proprietary projects, and projects in excess of \$100,000, shall include a schedule showing the projects

t should show the amount of each approved project and the amount requested for the project for the fiscal year, broken down between that which will be retained at headquarters and that to be made available to the field. (See Para. II) Stations and Bases will receive allotments for Missions I, II, and III for the latter two groups separate allotments shall be made for each proprietary project, each large subsidy project, each individual project in excess of \$100,000, and all other. The-alletments-fer-Missions II-and-III-combined-will-represent a-financial-plan. The Chief of Station shall have authority to incur obligations for Missions II and III in an amount not in excess of the respective allotments for the period provided (1) that the amount of obligations incurred for

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the "all aller" any one project approved under Mission II shall not exceed the amount available to the field for the fiscal year by an amount in excess of \$1500.00 or 15 percent of the project, whichever is the lower, and (2) that the amount of obligations incurred for any one project approved under Mission III shall not exceed the amount available to the field for the fiscal year for that project, number will be assigned by the Budget Division to each project approved under Missions II and III. This arrangement will mean fewer allotment accounts than heretofore and should result in a more efficient use of the Division's funds with less paper adjustments. provide-more-managerial-flexibility-in-planning-operations within-the-financial-plan,-Chiefs-of-Stations-and-Bases will-be-authorized-to-make-off-set-adjustments-between-the alletments. A simplified allotment system with greater responsibility on the allottee are features being considered

c. That paragraphs V.B.1. and 2 of reference be deleted and a new paragraph V.B.1. reading as follows be substituted therefor: "Para. V.B. Field

in the Improved Financial Management Program."

The WH Division shall advise each station of the amount approved for each project and the amount of the approval available for obligation in the field for the current fiscal year. The station shall maintain an Obligation Authority Record as prescribed by

for each project and shall record thereon the amount of the project approval made available to the field for Appleved For the reservoir approval made available to the field for Appleved For the reservoir approval made available to the field for Appleved For the reservoir approval made available to the field for Appleved For the reservoir approval made available to the field for Appleved For the reservoir approval made available to the field for Appleved For the reservoir approval made available to the field for Appleved For the reservoir approval made available to the field for Appleved For the reservoir approval made available to the field for the reservoir approval made available

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These records will be maintained in the field and will not be forwarded to headquarters."